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Applicant : Alastair R. Buckley et al.

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MATERIAL ON TO A SUBSTRATE

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## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

This is a response to the written Restriction Requirement dated May 22, 2006. A Petition for a One Month Extension of Time with fee is submitted herewith to extend the deadline for response from June 22, 2006 to July 22, 2006.

Applicants elect to prosecute the Group I claims (1-4, 29 and 34-57) drawn to a method of patterning a functional group onto a substrate and a device having a substrate patterned with an electroluminescent material. This election is made without traverse.

Applicants reserve the right to file a divisional application for the non-elected Group II claims (30-32 and 58) drawn to an optoelectronic device.

Please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment for entering this Response to our deposit account no. 08-3040.

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